



Club Sports Driver Contract Agreement

Club Name _____

I, _____, hereby acknowledge that the rules below are a binding contract between me and the Office of Recreational Services at Winthrop University. As a driver of a private vehicle for the above mentioned club, I acknowledge my full responsibility for the safety of the people assigned to travel with me. I will abide by all of the driving rules, restrictions, and suggestions contained in the Club Sports Handbook, which I have read, understand and acknowledge. Any violation of these rules during the course of travel to and from competition shall result in disciplinary action with the Office of Recreational Services.

Rules and Guidelines to follow while traveling to and from Winthrop University for events:

- For every vehicle driven to competition, there shall be a designated driver and assistant driver.
- The driver assistant will be the front passenger in the vehicle who is responsible for keeping the driver awake, keeping the driver focused from any distractions, navigating (i.e. reading a map, road signs) ensuring the driver is going the posted speed limit, not following too close to other vehicles, answering the cell phone and making calls to people outside of the vehicle if such calls are necessary.
- Use of cell phones is prohibited by drivers while traveling to and from club sports events. This includes but not limited to talking on the phone and text messaging.
- The driver or anyone else who is designated to drive during travel shall not consume or be under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- You must switch drivers every 4 hours or earlier if the current driver becomes fatigued in any manner before the 4 hours.
- No club will travel between 1 a.m. and 5 a.m.
- As the driver, you shall take full responsibility for any penalties received from speeding fines or other moving violations that are encountered while traveling (i.e. state highway patrol, local police, etc.)
- Along with each member of the club team, the driver must follow the Winthrop University Student Code of Conduct while traveling and representing Winthrop University.
- I understand that if I am detained or incarcerated by proper authorities, that by no means is Winthrop University obligated to assist me. Nor is any Winthrop University employee or authorized volunteer liable for providing legal assistance, nor to secure the individual's release,

nor seek judicial relief. Winthrop University is not responsible for providing alternative transportation if said individual is detained or incarcerated during travel.

By reading the above rules and guidelines for travel to and from competition, I understand that I am responsible for all passengers in my vehicle and following the rules stated above along with any local and state laws that apply. Failure to do so as stated above can result in disciplinary action from the Office of Recreational Services as well as any legal punishment that is incurred from local authorities during travel.

Driver and Vehicle Information

Winthrop ID # _____ Phone # _____

Address _____

Driver's License # _____ State _____ Expiration Date _____

Type of Vehicle _____ Auto License & State _____

Auto Insurance _____ Policy # _____

The driver must present copies of a driver's license, insurance card, and registration for the vehicle they will be driving at the time this form is turned in to the Office of Recreational Services.

It is the driver's and club president's responsibility to contact the Office of Recreational Services in the event that any information changes.

Driver's Signature _____ Date _____

Club President's Signature _____ Date _____

Advisor's Signature _____ Date _____